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**Leslie G. Foschio**

Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1940

Education: Buffalo 1962 BA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1965 LLB

Began Service: February 1, 1991

Term Expires: January 31, 2011

Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Bar Association of Erie County; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; New York Bar Foundation, The New York State Bar Association

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk (part-time) **Rebecca McCauley** ..... (716) 332-7852

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Education: Ithaca 1985 SB; Cornell 1999 PMD;

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Career Law Clerk (part-time) **Thérèse A. Hopkins** ..... (716) 332-7852

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Education: SUNY (Buffalo) 1994 JD

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**United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of New York**

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**Number of Judgeships:** 3

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**Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Carl L. Bucki**

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**Carl L. Bucki**

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1953

Education: Cornell 1974 BA, 1976 JD

Began Service: December 30, 1993

Term Expires: December 2021

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Matthew J. Jasen, New York Court of Appeals

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Moot & Sprague; Partner, Cohen Swados Wright Hanifin Bradford & Brett, LLP (1990-1993)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Erie County Bar Association (NY); The New York State Bar Association

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Adolph C. Iannaccone** ..... (716) 362-3282

Education: Boston Col 1972 AB;

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Secretary **Marcia A. Bannister** ..... (716) 362-3281

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**John C. Ninfo II**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946

Education: Georgetown 1968 BS;

Boston U 1973 JD

Began Service: January 3, 1992

Term Expires: January 3, 2020

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of New York

**Legal Practice:** Underberg & Kessler (1973-1991)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1968-1970)

**Current Memberships:** Monroe County Bar Association (NY); National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Timothy P. Lyster** ..... (585) 613-4200

Judicial Assistant **Andrea M. Siderakis** ..... (585) 613-4290

Education: SUNY (Buffalo) 1985 BS

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Michael J. Kaplan**

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**Michael J. Kaplan**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Columbia 1968 BA; Boston U 1971 JD

Began Service: October 7, 1991

Term Expires: October 6, 2019

**Academic:** Adjunct Assistant Professor of Business Law, Monroe Community College (1973-1979); Adjunct Faculty of Business Law, Rochester Institute of Technology (1979-1981)

**Corporate:** Senior Editor, Lawyers Co-Operative Publishing Company (1981)

**Government:** Bankruptcy Clerk, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of New York (1981-1988); Clerk of the Court, United States District Courts (1988-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1974-1981)

**Current Memberships:** Erie County Bar Association (NY); National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Christopher K. Reed** ..... (716) 362-3272

Education: SUNY (Buffalo) 1982 JD

Secretary **Christine Klimko** ..... (716) 362-3271

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**Number of Judgeships:** 4

**Number of Vacancies:** 1

**Areas Covered:** Counties of Beaufort, Bertie, Bladen, Brunswick, Camden, Chowan, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Currituck, Dare, Duplin, Edgecombe, Franklin, Gates, Granville, Greene, Halifax, Harnett, Hertford, Hyde, Johnson, Sones, Lenoir, Martin, Nash, New Hanover, Northampton, Onslow, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Pender, Perquimans, Pitt, Robeson, Sampson, Tyrrell, Vance, Wake, Warren, Washington, Wayne and Wilson

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**Louise W. Flanagan**

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1962

Education: Wake Forest 1984 BA; Virginia 1988 JD

Began Service: July 21, 2003

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Malcolm J. Howard, United States District Court (1988-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal LLP (1989-1990); Associate, Ward and Smith, P.A. (1990-1995); Partner, Ward and Smith, P.A. (1995-1999)

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**Terrence W. Boyle**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945

Education: Brown U 1967 AB; American U 1970 JD

Began Service: January 1, 1984

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Staff Assistant, Committee on Banking and Currency, United States House of Representatives (1968-1970); Minority Counsel, Committee on Banking and Currency, United States House of Representatives (1970-1973); Legislative Assistant (D-NC), Office of Senator Jesse Helms, United States Senate (1973-1974)

**Legal Practice:** LeRoy, Wells, Shaw, Hornthal & Riley (1974-1984)

**Staff**

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Began Service: September 2010

Term Expires: September 2011

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**James C. Dever III**

District Judge

Date of Birth: May 25, 1962

Education: Notre Dame 1984 BBA; Duke 1987 JD

Began Service: May 3, 2005

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Adjunct Professor of Employment Law, The Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law, Campbell University

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk J. Clifford Wallace, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (1987-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Shareholder, Maupin Taylor, P.A. (1998-2004); Associate, Maupin Taylor & Ellis, P.A. (1992-1997)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; North Carolina Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Jonathan Ophardt** ..... (919) 645-6570

Began Service: 2010

Term Expires: 2011

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Education: Duke 2010 JD

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Began Service: 2010

Term Expires: 2011

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Education: Duke 2010 JD

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